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Re: U.S. v. Waste Management Inc., et al., Kin-Buc Landfill Site, Edison, New Jersey

Dear Counsel:

Please note that, as a result of the recent anthrax incidents, no U.S. Postal Service mail, or mail sent by private carrier (e.g., Federal Express and UPS) or delivery service, is currently being delivered to U.S. Department of Justice offices in Washington, D.C., including our offices, as discussed in the attached letter from Robert D. McCallum, Jr., Assistant Attorney General, to Hon. Leonidas Ralph Mecham, Director of the Administrative Office of the U.S. Courts, of November 2, 2001. To our knowledge, the disruption in U.S. Postal Service delivery has been ongoing since mid-October, 2001. While we hope to eventually receive mail sent by these means, we do not know if and when that will be possible. Our usual facsimile number is also currently non-operational because the facsimile machine is located in a mail room that has been sealed off for possible testing (depending on the outcome of tests at other facilities).

Therefore, unless and until otherwise notified, we request that you rely on alternative means of communication with us. If possible, please send copies of all mail to us by facsimile or electronic mail, coupled with a confirmatory telephone call, and provide courtesy copies of any such communication to Bill Tucker of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region II, in New York. The relevant numbers and addresses are as follows:

Facsimiles: (202) 514-0097 or (202) 353-0296 (Mr. Weigert & Ms. Kane)  
(212) 637-3096 (Mr. Tucker)

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If it is not practicable to send communications by these means, please call Mr. Weigert or Ms. Kane at one of the above-referenced phone numbers to discuss possible alternative arrangements.

To ensure delivery of mail already sent, we request that you re-send anything sent to us since mid-October by one of the above-referenced means.

Thank you for your patience and understanding during this difficult time. We will notify you as soon as normal mail delivery resumes.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'David L. Weigert', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

David L. Weigert, Esq.  
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Enclosure

cc: William C. Tucker, Esq. – EPA, Region II